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Rains Prove Drains Work, Says Webster

The fancy new French drainage system here works, says Merritt Webster of the Housing Authority. There was only one big mud puddle which was in front of the market. That will be eliminated, he said. Webster and the contractor made a tour of the project last Saturday during the height of the recent rainstorm.

"We found that the streets, which have not been resurfaced, were the worst spots in town. This is because they are lower now than the filled-in areas and consequently collect the water. However, when they are resurfaced and crowned in the center to drain the water off, the new drains and ditches will absorb the overflow, leaving the roads free from water," says Webster.

The work of resurfacing Marin City's roads was halted this week when the Navy, Army and Maritime Commission stepped in and appropriated three weeks' supply of asphalt contracted for here.

Two strips of new road work are now completed. One is the entrance road and the other is a strip in front of the Medical Center.

"We are completely dependent upon whether the Army or Navy needs asphalt. Their priority has precedence over ours, so we can only say that the road work will progress when the asphalt supply is not demanded by these agencies," says Webster.

Knocks Self Cold After Police Arrest

Only police news out of Marin City last week was the arrest of Bentley Tullos, who was picked up in front of the market last Friday for drunken driving.

Fighting off the deputies, Tullos was handcuffed and then fell and hit his head, knocking himself unconscious.

At the police court in Sausalito, Tullos pleaded guilty and was fined $150. He also agreed, out of court, to pay one of the deputies for the damage done to the deputy's clothes during the scrap at the arrest.

Teeners' Home Nursing Class Starts Tuesday

A Teeners Home Nursing class for high school and working girls starts next Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the home nursing headquarters, A41-363.

Students will get high school or college credits on graduation from the course, which is being conducted by Mrs. Vida Brott, registered nurse and certified Red Cross instructor.

Students may enroll next Tuesday evening at the first session. For further information, contact Mrs. Arthur Walenta, Marin City Red Cross Home Nursing chairman, through P. O. Box 656.

Having turkey dinner on Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McGuire was Howard Martin, seaman 2/c, former resident of Marin City before entering the service.

Wounded

U. S. Army Signal Corps

WOUNDED OVERSEAS: Tech. Sergeant Joseph Bass, 28, of Headland, Ala., received Red Cross plasma transfusions before and after an operation which saved his life when he was wounded while an acting 1st sergeant with the Air Corps.

Chief Takes On Smith At Horseshoes

The first horseshoe tournament to be pitched at Marin City starts next Sunday at 1 p.m. at the Fire House, with Fire Chief Rolf Bremer challenging Michael Smith, council chairman, to bring out anyone to lick him.

Bremer's pitching mate will be Herbert Massen. Smith's partner is not yet named.

All horseshoe fans here are welcome to watch this match. Men and women participants for following Sunday games can sign up during the afternoon.

The tournament is being sponsored by the Marin County Recreation Department, under the leadership of Martha Roberts.

Tax Man Here To Advise On Dec. 2 and 3

James J. Christman, staff member of the United States Bureau of Internal Revenue, will be at the Marin City Community Center from 1 to 8 p.m. next Thursday and Friday, December 2 and 3.

Christman will be on hand to answer questions about the December 15 filing date for income tax reports. Service is free to all residents.

New Den Pack Meets With Chief

Marin City's newest den of Pack 34 met last Tuesday with their den mother, Mrs. Gordon McLaughlin, at her home. They will meet every Tuesday at 5 p.m.

Their den chief is John Preston, Boy Scout.

Contour Map Is Readied

A contour map of Marin City is now under construction by the fire department. The relief map will be the size of a door, and show hills, valleys, houses and trees in color.

Rolf Bremer is directing, assisted by Bob Davidson, G. J. Marmelstein and Herbert Martin.

Marin City Council Meet This Sunday

The Marin City Council meets in open meeting this Sunday at 7:30 p.m. in the lounge room of the Community Building.

Legislation concerning the welfare of the community will be voted upon by the councilmen. All residents are invited to attend the meeting where they may address the council on neighborhood or community problems during the "Good of Marin Hour."

Action on problems brought up in this way by Marin City citizens will be acted upon immediately after the case has been stated.

Dental Clinic At Sausalito Each Month

Parents here are invited to bring their pre-school children to the Dental Clinic held monthly at Sausalito by the Marin County Health Department.

The purpose of the clinic is to accustom the pre-school child to the dentist, and to do some dental work when it is vitally needed.

Appointments and information may be had by calling the department at San Rafael 641, or by leaving your name at the Medical Center here, so that the department may arrange an appointment.

New Delay For Child Care Building

A hitch in Marin City's proposed $25,000 child care building has arisen. With the priorities granted, the money has not been formally allocated, thus houlding up construction.

Carl Gromme, architect, has spotted the new building in the apex of the school grounds.

After the funds are granted, the proposed structure must be advertised for bids, causing a future delay of three weeks.

Swing Music Society To Start Soon

A Swing Music Society will soon be under way here, promises the recreation department. The opening affair will have "Bunk" Johnson and his fans in attendance. Admission of $1 will cover admission and membership. Subsequent sessions will be 25 cents to non-members and 10 cents to members.

Bloomquists' Navy Son Visits Here

Jack Bloomquist, Navy radio man, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bloomquist, on his way to San Diego from his post at Yakima, Wash.

The Bloomquists left here last Thursday for a business trip to Los Angeles, where they worked in a pre-Thanksgiving Day dinner with friends there. Bloomquist is back on the job now, and Mrs. Bloomquist is expected back this week.

Hot Cafeteria Meals At Marinship Soon; Unions Win Request

Plans which, if adopted, will give Marinship the best lunchtime feeding facilities for workers of any shipyard on the Pacific Coast were discussed this week by representatives of labor, management and the U. S. Maritime Commission.

Good hot food, served at convenient indoor tables, with adequate selection was visualized in response to the problems of wartime nutrition which have been a cause of discussion in recent months at many Bay Area shipyards and industrial plants, with shipyard unions pointing out that production would increase greatly if hot meals were served on all shifts.

The contemplated plan calls for construction of several cafeteria type units serving all parts of the shipyard. They will be of sufficient number and size to permit workers who desire service to secure their choice of entree, vegetables, dessert and coffee.

Establishment of the new feeding units will depend upon the successful development of detailed plans which must then be approved by the Maritime Commission before action upon them can be undertaken.

It was agreed that the new system will be established with a time-card control so that productive time, needed to construct tankers for Uncle Sam, will not be spent off the job. Under shipyard labor agreements the lunch period is 30 minutes.

In addition to the several large cafeteria type units discussed, a number of smaller canteens or mobile units to provide quick service on selected food items at isolated locations were considered.

The new plans which may be in operation, if approved, within one or two months, will bring food service to men and women working on all three shifts.

During the next week Marinship Corporation will make an exhaustive survey of needs and methods, which will then be submitted to the U. S. Maritime Commission for approval. As soon as possible, if approval is secured, the construction of facilities will begin.

Represented at the conference and participating in the joint decision were Daniel S. Ring, director of shipyard labor relations; Harold Willis, chief feeding consultant, and Joan Spigler, resident plant engineer, representing the United States Maritime Commission; A. F. Bartholomew, Laborers' Local 886; Ted White, Teamsters and Warehousemen's Union, and Thomas A. Retell, representing the Bay Cities Metal Trades Council; William E. Broog, industrial nutritionist for War Food Administration; Bearl Sprott, operator under contract of present Marinship feeding facilities. Representing Marinship Corporation were Robert Digges, administrative manager, and Fred W. Beele, assistant to the administrative manager.

Clean Up Your Yards This Week

Cleanup Week for the hill district will be climaxed this Sunday by truck pickups of the trash gathered by residents there. The trucks will collect from houses 354 to 807. Residents are instructed to have the trash piled adjacent to the garbage bins.

The following Sunday, December 5, the trucks will come to collect trash collected by householders in houses 1 to 353.

This time the management has arranged to devote all maintenance trucks and men to the trash collection. "At the last town-cleaning we did not realize the immensity of the collection. We apologize to the residents for the inefficient and slow manner in which the trash was collected," says Merritt Webster, Housing Authority assistant to the executive director.

The maintenance men will devote their entire time on Sunday to trucking away the trash which householders have collected from cleanups around their homes. In addition, they will pick up trash lying around on unoccupied hillsides.

The Garden Center and the Maintenance Department will loan out rakes and shovels for the cleanup as long as their supplies last.

Bake Cakes For Soldiers Christmas

How about a cake for the boys in the Army? Any that can be spared will be gratefully received by the members of the Canteen Corps. Members of the Canteen have been asked to serve on Christmas Day from 2 to 6 p.m. at Fort Baker and are asked to bring cakes.

Those in Marin City who have been asked to take part are Mrs. J. R. Kahrt, Mrs Rolf Bremer, Mrs. B. C. Bloomquist, and Mrs. George Galbraith. Only two per cent of the military personnel will have furloughs this year. If you can spare a cake, contact any of these ladies.

Charles Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Figler and children of Oakland, and Mr. and Mrs. John Coad of Alameda were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hutchason on Sunday.

Sea Scouts To Be Ushers At Dedication

The Sea Scouts of Marin City will be ushers and guards of honor at the dedication of the new Scout building at San Rafael next Sunday.

Skipper Art Walenta is assembling the boys at the Community Building at 1 p.m. for arrival at the ceremony at 2:30.

USO Plea For Women To Help Workers

"If you can't work in the shipyard, help a woman who can," is the plea from the USO Travelers' Aid cottage here which is seeking women to care for war workers' children.

"There is a constant demand for daytime foster homes and visiting housekeepers from mothers who need care for their children while they are working.

"We need women who will contribute their share to the war effort in releasing other women for the shipyard. We need women from every part of Marin City, for graveyard, swing and day duty for babies and pre-school children. The child care need is greater than ever, now that the nursery school is filled to capacity," says Mrs. Marie Larson, director.

"The women who take children into their own homes for care must be licensed, according to California law. However, this license is easily gained—it is demanded only to assure that the children will receive a healthy, clean, happy atmosphere in their foster home," says Mrs. Larson.

Motion Picture Council Lists Good Shows

The current motion pictures which are appropriate for the whole family to see are this week recommended by the Marin Motion Picture Council through their local representatives here, Mrs. Rolf Bremer and Mrs. George Bright.

Family recommendations are: "Doughboys in Ireland"; "Follow the Band," musical comedy; "In Old Oklahoma," western melodrama; "Sleepy Lagoon"; "Stormy Weather," Negro musical, and "The Kansan," western.

The council's recommendations for movies for the mature family include: "Appointment in Berlin," war drama; "Bomber's Moon," war drama; "Captive Wild Women," horror thriller; "Corvette K-225," war drama; "Dangerous Blondes," mystery; "Fired Wife," comedy; "Good Luck Mr. Yates," fair melodrama; "Heaven Can Wait," technicolor dramatic comedy; "Hi Diddle Diddle," comedy; "Johnny Come Lately," melodrama; "My Kingdom for a Cook," light comedy; "Phantom of the Opera," technicolor musical drama; "Sahara," war drama; "She Has What It Takes," melodrama; "Submarine Alert," war drama; "The Constant Nymph," melodrama; "The Sky's the Limit," musical comedy; "Victory Through Air Power," Disney war cartoon; "Yanks Ahoy," melodrama.

For mature youth, the council suggests: "Aerial Gunner," melodrama; "Henry Aldrich Swings It," comedy. For adults only the council lists: "Holy Matrimony," comedy, and "Night Plane From Chungking," war melodrama.

The council, which is locally sponsored by the Marin City PTA and the Marin City Women's Club, does not recommend any feature length picture for children under eight years.

Our Callers Are Drafted

Noah Kirby and Elmer Moore, Marin City callers at the Monday night folk and square dances, have been drafted for calling at San Anselmo and Marin Junior College dance groups.

The old - fashioned dance group meets here every Monday at 7:30 at the Community Building.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of the Lloyd Messersmiths were Mr. and Mrs. Vanderwilt and son Larry.

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But today honors came to a humble Liberty ship, which has just completed 17,000 miles of hazardous sea travel loaded with precious cargo.

The ship is the S.S. Sun Yat Sen, launched at Marinship on March 26, which received highest praise from Admiral Emory S. Land, chairman of the U. S. Maritime Commission.

Admiral Land declared that "this ship has never stopped one minute. Welding is absolutely beyond criticism, the workmanship of the Sun Yat Sen is fine, and the men who are responsible for it are to be commended highly."

Text of the telegram received at the shipyard is as follows:

"Your Liberty ship, S. S. Sun Yat Sen, launched at Marinship, Sausalito, California, on March 26, 1943, has been cited for outstanding performance on her vital war job. Her master, veteran of 45 years at sea, makes this statement: 'In 17,000 miles, even without a trial trip, this ship has never stopped one minute. No engine trouble whatsoever; never even had a hot bearing. I think it's wonderful. She makes better speed than specifications call for and does this consistently. Her maneuverability is excellent as she handles like a small sail boat. Cargo gear is fine. In three and a half days while in Chile, we loaded 10,030 tons of copper pigs and beans. There was not one bit of delay during this entire operation as the winches were wonderful. Navigation equipment is perfect. Welding is absolutely beyond any criticism. The workmanship of the Sun Yat Sen is fine, and the men who are responsible for it are to be commended highly.' The Maritime Commission joins with the master in congratulating all who had part in building this splendid vessel. We are counting on each man and woman on your team to maintain the high standard you have set. The toughest job it still ahead."

The S.S. Sun Yat Sen was the fourteenth Liberty ship to be completed by Marinship.

Well-Baby Clinic Helps War Mothers

Mothers bringing their babies or pre-school children to the Well-Baby Clinic for the first time should come before 9 a.m. or leave their names with the Medical Center so that they can receive an appointment for the next Wednesday's clinic. Appointments may also be made, for the first time, through the Marin County Health office, telephone San Rafael 641.

The clinic is held the first four Wednesdays of every month at the Community Building. They are conducted, free of charge, by the Marin County Health Department.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hollenbeck returned to Pasadena last week after a two months visit with their daughter, Mrs. A. W. Palmer.

Miss Lilley, City Nurse, Takes Leave

Miss Ethel Lilley, nurse at the Medical Center since its beginning here and administrative head for eight months, this week leaves her Marin City post to take up her personal life. For Miss Lilley is in reality Mrs. Fred Van Sicklen, three months bride of a well known San Francisco business man.

During her duties here, it would be safe to say that "Miss Lilley" has concerned herself about the welfare of almost every Marin City family in one way or another — worrying about the birth of new babies, greeting them as patients at the clinic, attending them at home calls, listening to their complaints, and ministering to their ills.

In acknowledgement of her service here, the Medical Center staff last Monday gave a farewell party at the center for their head nurse and presented her with a silver tray as a going-away gift.

Present were the members of the Marin City Council Medical Committee, Miss Ethel Johnson of the Housing Authority, and all the medical and nursing staff from the center.

House guest of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Allen last week was Mrs. Allen's sister of Inverness, Calif.

Mrs. Oha Mitchel of Mill Valley was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Percy.

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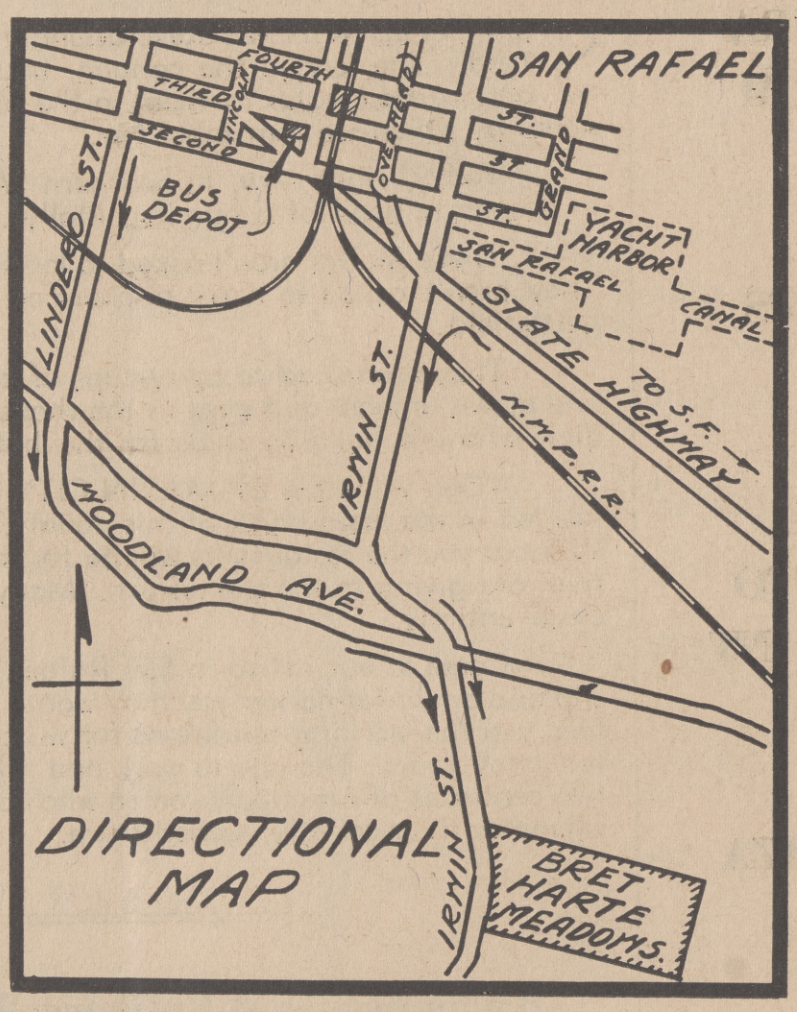

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» Women's Page «

WOMEN AT WAR

By DOROTHY SMITH

"Should war-working mothers send their children to school with the sniffles so that mother won't miss a day's work?" This question, which was posed in last week's column, is this week explained in an interview with Miss Dulcie Green, school nurse.

For, says Miss Green, every child is given a morning check-up by his teacher. If there are symptoms the child is dispatched to Miss Green's office for a further examination. Then, for medical diagnosis, the child is sent across the street to the Medical Center.

This health roundup makes it clear that children with contagious diseases do not stay in the schoolroom to infect other children — they are placed in isolation at the school if the mother cannot be reached.

As a further safeguard for the health of all the children, after an absence due to contagion, the child is not readmitted to class without a slip from the doctor giving his O.K.

The system of checks which the school has installed has caught the first symptoms of mumps, impetigo, chicken pox, persistent nose bleeds, and ring worm in school children — enabling the immediate application of treatment, thereby preventing serious cases developing.

Also, says Miss Green, our health program helps us find the beginnings of constitutional weaknesses such as heart trouble. For the teacher sends to her the children who complain of mild but persistent symptoms. Again the trouble is caught at the beginning and treatment eliminates the possibilities of serious cases developing.

Because the school has no resident doctor, the school is dependent upon the Medical Center for diagnosis and emergency treatment. Because of the medical insurance plan which Marin City residents belong to, the doctors there can be called more freely, and Miss Green may recommend clinic visits more often than if the children here had to consult a private doctor. Miss Green is appreciative of the fact that that there is always a doctor on call here, which is no longer true of most communities.

Through this system, Miss Green can send the many finger and arm fractures which the baseball season has brought to her office.

All in all, says Miss Green, about 50 children visit her office daily. On the average five a day are sent to the Medical Center for treatment or further diagnosis.

Miss Green is a graduate of the University of California, with a major in psychology. She is a registered nurse and a certified public health nurse. She spent two years doing general public health work before coming to the Sausalito School District, where she divides her time between the school there and Marin City.

Women's Club General Meet On Wednesday

The Women's Club general meeting will be next Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the lounge.

Business of the evening will be election of officers for the coming year. All club members are urged to attend.

Refreshments will be served. Mrs. L. J. Bright will be presiding chairman.

Congratulations:

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ross on the birth of a son November 21 at Cottage Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvid Larsen on the birth of a daughter November 19 at Cottage Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler on the birth of a daughter November 23 at Cottage Hospital.

Cookie Brigade Bakes Again Next Week

Marin City's Cookie Brigade is holding an extra baking night this month to insure a generous supply of homemade cookies to the boys stationed at Fort Cronkhite during the Christmas holidays.

The baking nights will be next Thursday and Friday, in the community kitchen.

Extra supplies of cookie ingredients will be needed for these double baking sessions. The brigade is calling for shortening and sugar ration points, nuts, and the money or ingredients necessary to make cookies. The brigade has baked 3687 cookies which have been sent to the soldiers who are stationed at one of America's loneliest Coast Guard defense stations. All ingredients have been donated.

The Christmas cookies will be especially wrapped in holiday trimmings as Christmas gifts from Marin City to the soldiers.

B. H. Tullos has purchased a home in San Rafael and is moving his family there this week.

Strictly Personal . . .

By PEGGY BILLINGSLEY

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. O'Dell of A19 are moving to Auburn, Calif., where they have purchased a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nobel are leaving Marin City. Nobel is joining the Army, and Mrs. Nobel is going to Rock Port, Calif., where she will make her home with her mother.

S. R. Chamberlin is moving his wife and children to Chico. Temporarily he will continue working at Marinship and will live in San Francisco.

R. A. Shane, Marin City councilman, was all ready to fly to Denver, Colo., by United Airlines last week. Just at the last minute he had to give up his plane seat to a soldier.

Guests at the Women's Club potluck supper were Mrs. Helen Van Pelt, Mr. and Mrs. George Hinnenkamp, Mr. and Mrs. H. McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hough, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kahrt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Del Tredici, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Billingsley.

After a fine dinner, contributed by the ladies, the group spent the after-dinner hours visiting.

Enjoying the ball game at Kezar Stadium on Sunday were Lloyd Messersmith and Walter Del Tredici.

Mrs. Helen Van Pelt's daughter, Mary, has given up her position with the Railroad Commission in San Francisco. She is now working at Marinship in the warehouse office.

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Angleworms Elect New Club Officer

The Angleworms, junior garden club, have a new office treasurer with Lollie Beismire the new officer. Lollie's duties are to collect 2 cents weekly dues from the 13 charter members and the 35 new members who are joining. Recent newcomers to the club are the school youngsters who have taken up gardens in the front yard of the Garden Center.

The club meets every Saturday at 2 p.m. at their attic clubroom in the center. Their next meeting will be to determine the meeting time for a second session of the group, says Charles Murray, president.

The members are planning on setting up a recreation program for the coming winter months, with ping pong, basketball and table games.

"They're active right now wrestling," stated Charles, surveying the equipment - empty clubroom where three or four members were practicing commando tactics.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Walenta and sons, Arthur and Richard, were very happy this Thanksgiving as Mrs. Walenta's mother of Philadelphia was here. The Walentas gave a dinner party. Present were Lt. Milton De Milt, U.S.N., and wife of San Francisco.

House guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kahrt is Mrs. Kahrt's mother, Mrs. J. H. Weinberg of Fowler. The Kahrts and Mrs. Weinberg had Thanksgiving dinner in Oakland with Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Warren, sister and brother-in-law of J. H. Kahrt

House guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Macklen of house 770 for Thanksgiving were Mrs. M. Peacock and daughter of Los Angeles.

Sunday guests in the C. H. Husel home were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. King and daughter Cheryl, now of Alameda but former Fargo, N. D., residents.

Mrs. Marie Hansen and Mrs. Beth Jones are two new teachers at the Child Care Center

The Sea Scouts canceled their Thursday meeting which fell on Thanksgiving Day.

At last week's potluck luncheon given at Paula Norton's home, the following board members were present: Mesdames J. R. Kahrt, G. Hinnenkamp, L. G. Bright, R. Cooper, B. C. Bloomquist, George Galbraith, W. C. Billingsley and H. McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gruenewald's son, Sgt. Harold Gruenewald, is here on furlough.

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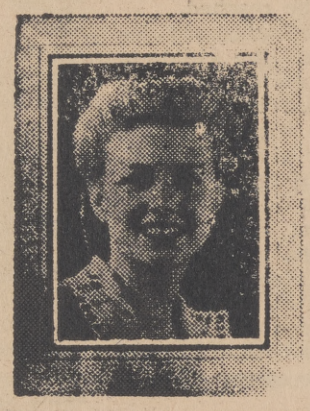

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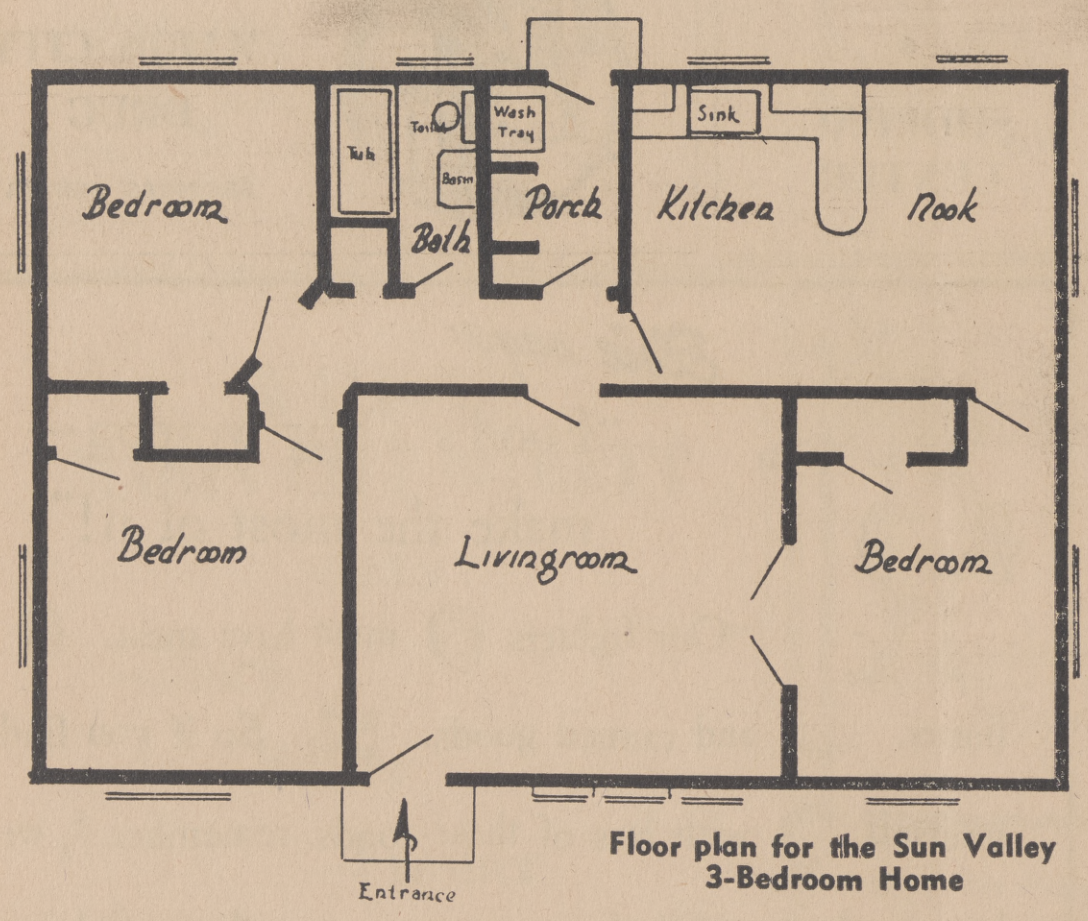

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A warning that the Monday evening badminton games for adults will be discontinued here unless they are better attended, was issued this week by the recreation deuartment here.

Badminton enthusiasts are urged to rally support so that this popular indoor sport may continue.

The games, which start at 7:30 p.m. every Monday at the Community Building, are sponsored by the Marin Junior College under the leadership of Miss Darke. All the equipment for the game is provided at the auditorium.

Church Service

"Thanksgiving in 1943 — For What?" is the topic for the Thanksgiving service at the Marin City Community Church on Sunday morning, November 28, at 11 o'clock.

Sunday school for all ages every Sunday at 9:45.

The Women's Auxiliary meets on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The women of the Marin City church were entertained by the women of the Presbyterian Church at Sausalito last week.

No Walks For City

To a query regarding the possibility of sidewalks in Marin city to parallel roads here, Merritt Webster said, "I see little likelihood of the government granting the expenditure of that amount of money for a temporary housing project."

Webster pointed out that when the roads are resurfaced, the mud and water will be eliminated, making the streets comparatively dry for the pedestrian traffic.

New Residents Come From Many Parts of Nation

Louisiana vied with California last week in giving new residents to Marin City, with five families coming here from Louisiana and six from this state.

From the former we welcome Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hamilton and Eunice, A31, 108; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson and Varnele, A21, 163; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brown and Cora Moore, A63, 503; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brooks, B6, 620, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jones and Irma, B6, 610.

From California come Mr. and Mrs. Basil Benston, Diane and Darlene, house 633; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bettencourt, Roy, Clyde, Beverly, Donald, Gerald, and Carolyn, house 467; Olga Phillipson, B1-11; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Robbins, B10, 32; Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, A53, 602; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith, A20, 602.

Other new residents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Patrick, Fern, Sally and James, from Iowa, house 478; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Franklin from Texas, B4, 578; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cubie from Arizona, B7, 629.

Two families here from Missouri are Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Dean and LaDru, house 681, and Mr. and Mrs. Rexie Tatman, B3, 251.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sweet and son Lawrence, A4, 147, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winter, B6, 377, are here from Minnesota. Mr. and Mrs. Therold Wolfe, A34, 26, are from Pennsylvania.

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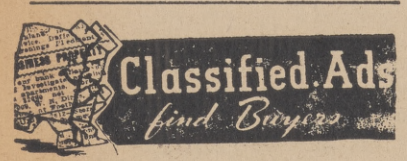

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Hot Meals at Last

Marinship is at last planning to serve hot cafeteria meals on all shifts. Yard officials made the announcement this week in the form of a release to the press.

For more than a year Bay Area shipyard unions have been pointing out the urgent necessity for serving hot meals to shipyard workers. These unions have made a wide survey showing that in places where hot meals are served, production and morale has gone up tremendously.

We remember standing in line last winter in front of the food shacks in the yard, with the cold rain dripping down our collar for 15 minhtes before we finally got our lukewarm coffee and soggy sandwich. We know that we never want to go through that again.

It would be different if it were absolutely necessary to serve nothing more than what is being served now under the guise of meals. But this is not the case. Many large plants in the United States have been serving hot meals for a long time. All the industrial plants in Great Britain, including the shipyards, have been serving hot meals to their workers since the war began. Better health conditions alone have been worth the effort.

Now that the millennium has arrived and hot cafeteria meals will soon be available to all who work in the yard, we say thanks to the unions which brought it about. This gives us one more example of what organized workers can do when they stick together on a program of doing all they can to help win the war.

Christmas Seals Save Lives

This week Marin citizens received Christmas -Seals through the mail.

Besides being excellent decorative additions to mail sent out, these seals play an extremely important role in combatting tuberculosis. The Marin County Tuberculosis Association and the National Tuberculosis Association are financed almost entirely by the money all of us send back in payment for the Christmas Seals.

Soon the Marin County Tuberculosis Association is going to offer every resident of Marin City a chance to take a tuberculin test, including a chest X-ray. There will be no charge to any resident for this service. All costs will be taken care of by the funds raised by the sale of Christmas Seals. This fact is certainly enough reason for all of us to immediately send a money order or check to the Marin County Tuberculosis Association for our seals.

YOUR HEALTH

The following is a schedule of doctors' office hours at the Medical Center here. Dr. Myrl Morris is the pediatrician. Dr. G. G. Cleary, Dr. Charlotte Baer, Dr. Tom Long and Dr. Walter K. Kollman are general practitioners.

MONDAY—Baer, 9-12; Kollman, 4:30-7; Cleary, 11-12 and 1-2:30; Long, 9-12 and 1-5; Morris, 1-4.

TUESDAY—Kollman, 9-12; Baer, 2-6; Cleary, 11-12 and 1-2:30; Long, 9-12 and 1-5; Morris, 1-4.

WEDNESDAY—Kollman, 9-12; Baer, 9-12; Cleary, 11-12 and 1-2:30; Long, 9-12 and 1-5; Morris, 1-4.

THURSDAY—Baer, 9-12; Kollman, 4:30-7; Cleary, 11-12 and 1-2:30; Long, 9-12 and 1-5; Morris, 1-4.

FRIDAY—Kollman, 9-12; Baer, 3-7; Cleary, 11-12 and 1-2:30; Long, 9-12 and 1-5; Morris, 1-4.

SATURDAY—Kollman, 9-12; Cleary, 11-12; Long, 9-12.

WARNING from the FBI

The war against spies and saboteurs demands the aid of every American.

When you see evidence of sabotage, notify the Federal Bureau of Investigation at once.

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Typical American Doctor

Dr. Charlotte Baer, Marin City, Person of Many Wide Activities

Disgusted with her experience in Hitler's Germany, Dr. Charlotte Baer shook the dust of Europe from her heels in 1938 and came to the United States — determined to become an American citizen and an American doctor.

So, although she is a graduate of the Frankfurt Medical School, has studied at the Universities of Heidelberg, Vienna, and Berlin, and has her M.D. from Switzerland, Dr. Baer started all over again at the University of California and graduated there in 1941 — an American doctor.

Now she has not only her citizenship and her M.D., but she has also an American husband, Leonard Baer, who is senior ordnance officer in a U. S. Bomber Command stationed in England after service in the Near and Far East. Dr. Baer delights in confounding strangers by the statement that she uses both her husband's name and her own. Usually before they can figure it out, she tells them the fact — she and her husband are fourth cousins, both "Baers."

And she is indeed a "bear for work." Her schedule these days means a half day at Marin City's Medical Center, a half day with her private practice in San Francisco, and part-time teaching senior students at the U.C. Hospital.

In preperation for this full program, she has not only her European and American degrees, but she interned at U.C. Hospital for a year in internal medicine and gynecology, was a resident at the same hospital for a year, and spent another year at Children's Hospital in San Francisco.

But perhaps Dr. Baer's training goes further back than that. For she really grew up with medicine. Her father was a famous German doctor, and her uncle is a retired doctor now living in England. Then there are three cousins—two are doctors in England, and one is practicing in Chile.

"I was going to be a gardener," says Dr. Baer, "but in one of my first biology classes I happened to hear a lecture on internal medicine by a famous European doctor. From then on my mind was made up, I would be a doctor. And I have never for one minute regretted that sudden decision."

Dr. Baer is a forthright person and she is a vigorous woman. Her hobby is swimming—she won the world's intercollegiate swimming championship. She used to go horseback riding during her spare time. But not any more.

All last summer Dr. Baer spent her Sundays in the prune and grape orchards of Napa and Sonoma—saving the crops so that America would have winter food. Just the other day she received a certificate of service from the Department of Agriculture. She's proud enough of it to frame it and hang it alongside her half dozen medical diplomas.

Cornhusker's Pride

This cupola-capped tower on the state capitol at Lincoln looks out upon one of our important grain and livestock states. Its founders came from the corners of the world and built a great commonwealth.

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Mike's Column

By MICHAEL SMITH

The time has come in Marin City to do some straight thinking and straight talking about the health program that has been in effect here for more than a year.

Judging from the number of comments and complaints that I have heard recently, there are still a lot of people here who don't understand the full implications of this program.

The Marin City Council has a contract with the California Physicians' Service which comprises 95 per cent of all the medical doctors in the state. One of the provisions of the agreement is that 90 per cent of the families in this city must subscribe or the service will be withdrawn.

The right to belong is entirely voluntary on the part of the citizens. Anyone desiring to withdraw may do so. So far, out of the 1500 families now living in our town only 75 have seen fit to withdraw from the plan.

Most of those have been in the last month or two. This means that if 75 more cancel their membership we will be dangerously near the point where the whole program goes under.

If this happens it will mean that Marin City will be in the same position of most of the other war housing projects in the state where no such plan is in operation—where there is virtually no control of contagious diseases; where the residents go from one epidemic to another, without hope of doing anything more than attempting to partially control such epidemics, to say nothing of preventing them in the first place. Last winter every large housing project in the state was afflicted with serious epidemics involving several communicable diseases.

In Marin City there has not been one serious outbreak of a common illness that threatened the general health of our people. The death rate in Marin City has been lower and the health standards higher than any project of its type in the country.

All of this is not just a matter of good luck. The reason is to be found in the fact that we have the services of five doctors and six nurses right here in town. We have a child specialist who averages 20 home calls a day. In the last year an average of 1800 cases a month have been handled in the form of home calls, referrals to outside doctors and cases cared for in our own Medical Center.

I have no quarrel with those who have withdrawn from the plan on the grounds that they are already covered by other forms of insurance. But everybody in this city has a right to be disgusted with those who would jeopardize the health of our kids because of an unwillingness to spend a few cents a day for the medical attention necessary to stop these diseases before they become serious.

Your city council has a special "health" committee that meets every Wednesday at 4:30 in the Community Building. It is their job to see that the provisions of the contract are lived up to by both the people and the C.P.S.

The "health" committee is now starting a campaign to reenlist those who have withdrawn. It will continue for 30 days. After that time if they have not rejoined the program, they will have to wait three months before they will again be eligible.

This is necessary because already several have withdrawn and then hastily rejoined when they became ill. 8hey would then get $100 worth of medical service for $5 and then quit again. You see we all pay into a common fund and someone who does that is just cheating the rest of us Fortunately, they are a very small minority.